

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the subject application.

Claims 1-63 were originally submitted.

Claims 11-15, 22, 27, 29-32, 44-48, 54, 59 and 60 are allowed.

Claims 1-10, 16-21, 23-26, 28, 33-42, 49-53, 55-58, and 61-63 are rejected in the Action.

Rejected claims in the Action have either been canceled, amended to depend on an allowed claim, or as originally recited depend upon an allowed claim.

Claims 1, 23, 28, 35, and 55 have been canceled.

Claims 2-22, 24-27, 29-34, 36-54, and 56-63 remain in this application.

CONCLUSION

All pending claims 2-22, 24-27, 29-34, 36-54, and 56-63 are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and prompt issuance of the subject application. If any issues remain that prevent issuance of this application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney before issuing a subsequent Action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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